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In response to the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review that accompanied the Notice of Allowance dated October 7, 2004, Applicant submits the accompanying replacement sheets in place of all drawing sheets originally filed. The new

sheets differ in that they omit the original drawings' solid black and gray shading. Additionally, stippling has been substituted for the gray shading in Fig. 7's elements 703 and 715 and in Fig. 8's element 713. Since no features have been added and the changes do not lend themselves to presentation in annotated drawing sheets, no such sheets are submitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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